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To Whom It May Concern:

I am writing today to ask in the strongest way possible that you rescind the unjust and coercive mandate that all "contraceptives" and sterilization procedures be covered by private health insurance with no co-pay to patients.

Contraception is not considered by all to be "basic health care", nor is sterilization. While I myself do not have fundamental religious objectives to such practices, many do, and government should not mandate such.

Further, I understand that some medications that would be covered are abortifacient in nature, even if not formally designated as such. Abortion is in general a grossly immoral act and -- even if those in power do not agree with this position, they must acknowledge that it is a position held by many in our country. And so to mandate coverage of such is, at best, highly overreaching.

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Sincerely,  
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